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PRICE FIVE CENTS

COCO CHARGES KLAN WITH MER ROUGE KILLING

LET'S GO

WE are tonight on the eve of a new era for Port Arthur. Tomorrow a group of picked men, carefully selected and entrusted with the most important civic task of the year, will go forward to raise \$30,000 to carry on the Chamber of Commerce and Shipping work for the year.

The following day they will go out again. Let us hope that their job will then be completed.

We have looked over the list of men who make up the personnel of campaign workers. Good business men, all of them. It would be difficult to replace a single man. Each, through his own individuality and initiative, carries a responsibility that cannot be measured in words and phrases. For it is to this group of men that the immediate future of Port Arthur depends. That is, perhaps, the reason why they were selected with so much care.

Two days should be sufficient in which to raise the \$30,000 fund. Already it has been announced that the business interests of the city are behind the chamber of commerce today as never before. This statement alone should guide any man who is hesitant about increasing his last year's contribution. We read the biographies of great business men of the world to avoid mistakes. Why not apply the same course closer home and follow in the path of the successful men who are your neighbors and fellow townsmen?

In some cases it is known that many have almost doubled their appropriation for the budget campaign this year. This is business acumen. To fall short \$5,000 from a \$30,000 budget results in a far greater loss than it appears to be from the surface. The organization may be forced to hesitate with some movement which apparently would add to the town's development just because its budget had not been subscribed to the limit. Business men who are giving more money to the organization this year realize this. They do not want to handicap the city's artery to the outside world no more than they would clutter up the wheels of their own business through false economy.

So tomorrow business men should be ready to write Port Arthur's program for 1923.

The city is no greater than its business interests. It can pursue no more liberal a policy toward outside interests than its constituents allow.

Port Arthur will go ahead just as quickly as every man who conducts any sort of business, no matter how small or how large, realizes that it is the Chamber of Commerce through which the city moves forward or backward.

The Chamber of Commerce is nothing more or less than a body of the city's business interests.

Let's push forward tomorrow! Give what you gave last year and then tack on a bonus for 1923—Port Arthur's Opportunity Year.

City Court Bill Favorably Reported

FRENCH TROOPS TAKE MAYENCE

Belgians Engage in Street Battle at Oberhausen

THYSEN FETED
Crowds Greet Him After His Trial; Crisis Nears

COBLENZ, Jan. 25.—Less than 24 hours after the Yankees departed, Coblenz was in a uproar, the populace overwhelming the local police and holding two violence demonstrations against the separation from Germany and formation of a Rhine-land republic.

A mob wrecked offices of the newspaper "Rheinlander," which has supported the republic idea, a French plan.

Ringed in by French steel, cut off even from the western Rhine-land, inhabitants of the Ruhr turned sullenly to further passive sabotage today.

A general rail strike that was all but completed throughout the newly-occupied area began at midnight. French railroad workers by the thousand were pouring in to replace the German trainmen who quit.

General Weygand arrived to assume supreme command in the Ruhr, and announced the French were there to stay until Germany displayed good will and aided France to secure reparations.

There was trouble today at Mayence, at Endre and at Oberhausen. Belgian troops engaged in a street battle at the latter town.

French Displace Police
At Mayence, where French troops took over control of the city from local police.

Twenty thousand jammed the station at Essen to welcome Fritz Thyssen and other industrial leaders who were courted and fawned by the French at Mayence. French troops and local police kept a watchful eye on the crowd to prevent possible trouble during the demonstration.

The British cabinet met to consider withdrawal of troops from the Rhine, although receipt of a promise from France that British soldiers will not be embarrassed again by being involved in arrest of German civilians made it probable this action would not be taken.

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WOMAN SHOOTS MAN AT GILMER

Holds Infant in One Arm, Pistol in the Other

GILMER, Texas, Jan. 25.—With her baby in her arms, Mrs. W. B. Tillery today avenged herself against the man she accused of having made an attack upon her.

Standing in front of the court house here, she perhaps fatally wounded C. E. Wilkinson, who was to have gone on trial.

She fired with a pistol in one hand. The other arm held her infant. Wilkinson, near death, was rushed to a local hospital, and Mrs. Tillery was taken into custody.

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RECESSES

Grand Jury to Reconvene Saturday Morning

BEAUMONT, Texas, Jan. 25.—In order to give County Attorney Marvin Searlock a chance to draw up indictments on true bills found by the 6th district court grand jury during its recent session, the grand jury adjourned Wednesday evening until 10 o'clock Saturday morning when they will make a report of their findings.

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2 DIE IN DUEL

Bay City Men Fight Out Quarrel With Guns

BAY CITY, Texas, Jan. 25.—Two men were dead here today as the result of a pistol duel.

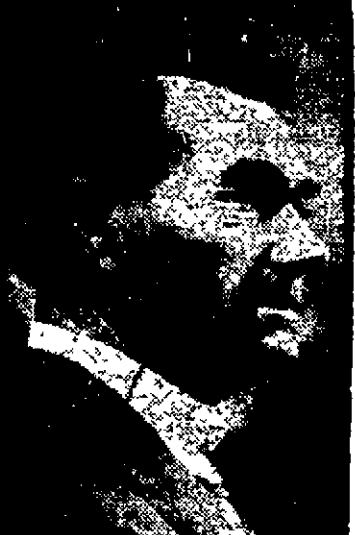
Dorothy Brown, syrup mill owner and farmer, was driving with a friend past the home of Captain J. N. South, planter of Sugar Valley, near here, when the shooting began. Both he and South were mortally wounded.

The duel was believed to have been the outcome of a previous quarrel of the two men, according to authorities. Both were prominent in this section.

MURDER VICTIMS



Mrs. Ethel Denecamp.



W. D. Holt

WACO MURDERS NEAR SOLUTION

White Man Named in Lover's Leap Affair

WACO, Texas, Jan. 25.—Ivory Clay, negro, charged with the murder of Grady Skipworth, 19, at Lovell's Leap near here, was released by District Judge R. L. Mumroe today at the conclusion of a habeas corpus proceedings. Clay had been identified as Skipworth's slayer, by Miss Naomi Boucher, 16-year-old companion of the youth the night of the tragedy.

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WACO, Texas, Jan. 25.—With a white man named in open court in connection with the murder of Grady Skipworth at Lovell's Leap, near here, for which Ivory Clay, negro, is being held, and with a slight shift in the trend of police investigation of the slaying of beautiful Mrs. Ethel Jacobs Denecamp, and W. D. Holt, on the Springfield road, near Waco, authorities were today believed a step nearer the solution of the two mysterious murder cases.

J. P. Williams, testifying in open hearing of habeas corpus for the negro Clay, declared that a white man was seen with Miss Naomi Boucher, Skipworth's companion, shortly following the murder.

He named a former close friend of Mrs. Denecamp, the girl has identified the negro as the murderer.

In Waco's recent murder mystery, the killing of Mrs. Denecamp and Holt, Chief of Police Jenkins initiated today that detectives were giving equal consideration to two theories: That the couple was killed by bootleggers, or that it was a case of mistaken identity, with a jealous lover as the slayer.

"It looks like it might be either a case of jealousy or one of bootleggers falling out," Chief Jenkins declared today. "We are now holding only two suspects, but much remains to be accomplished before the investigation is complete."

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IRISH REBELS EXECUTED

WATERFORD, Ireland, Jan. 25.—Two Irish insurgents were executed today for carrying arms.

HOUSE PASSES ABOLITION BILL

Would Ban 60th District Court

NOW-UP TO SENATE
Goes Through on Claim for Criminal Court

The bill to abolish the 60th district court at Beaumont over which Judge E. A. McDowell presides, passed the Texas lower house of legislature by a good majority last night.

This information was received today by The News from its Austin correspondent.

"Get McDowell's Job"
Representative Merriman, it is understood, described the essential purpose of the measure as being a move to get McDowell's job.

However, it went through the house on the claim that a criminal district court, established in lieu of the district court, would better serve the county.

Bar Condemned It
Fate of the bill is now in the hands of the senate. It is the understanding in Austin, according to The News' correspondent, that unless Senator Cousins is influenced against the bill it will carry.

At a meeting of the Jefferson County Bar association in Beaumont last week the bill was unanimously condemned. A delegation also was appointed at this meeting to go to Austin and fight the bill.

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C OF C BANQUET TO OPEN DRIVE

Committee Urges Members to Get in Line Early

Everything is in readiness for the banquet being given to members of the Chamber of Commerce and Shipping at the Plaza hotel at 6:30 o'clock tonight.

Nearly 200 invitations have been sent out by the organization and those who expect to be given choice seats are requested to reach the hotel by 6:30, as the seating capacity of the dining room is only 250.

The chamber dinner is being arranged on the eve of the \$30,000 budget drive of the organization in order that members may be made acquainted with plans the chamber is making for 1923.

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The menu is given out by P. A. Craik as follows:

Oyster Cocktail
Ripe Olives
Green Olives
Filet Mignon
Maitre d'Hotel
Saratoga Chips
Green Peas Enchufe
Head Lettuce Salad
Thousand Island Dressing
Peach Pie
Coffee

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BURIED ALIVE

Basement Wall Collapses at Lawrence, Mass

LAWRENCE, Mass., Jan. 25.—One man was buried alive and scores of others narrowly escaped the same fate when a basement wall of the International Paper Co. collapsed here today. The body of Fred Perrell was recovered. Police and firemen are searching the debris for other possible victims.

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INVENTOR OF ENGINE OIL BURNER DIES

HOUSTON, Jan. 25.—Edward Thomas, 49, inventor of the Thomas oil burner used in many locomotives, died at his home here last night. The last 18 years of Thomas' life have been devoted to experiments along the line of locomotive oil burners. He was once a locomotive engineer.

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Phil Anthropy Has Tilt With 'Red-Head' Cut off in Will!

By PHIL ANTHROPY
Her hair was like the burnished globe of the setting sun. Her eyes snapped like a French 75. She was static mixing in on a radio program.

Independent? Class? She's the only woman I know of who would know how to tell the Queen of Sheba to do the dishes.

She wanted to know. And this was it: "Why are you making no provision in your will for red-haired girls?" I had forgotten all about

to be trifled with. Then I remembered that every time anybody goes into the cages with those cats he carries a long stick with a heavy sharp spear on the end of it. It made me feel nervous, standing there without a spear. "They do," I said, and I meant it. Anyone would.

I deposited \$1 in a Port Arthur bank to remain there for 2000 years, or until January 22, 3023, drawing compound interest at 4 per cent, the interest being compounded semi-annually. Principal and interest, by

TOO HONEST?

New Engineer of Italian Steamer Here in Hospital To Recover Illness, Finds He Faces Deportation.

Because he was honest enough to admit he wanted to remain in the United States, when he might have said he merely wanted to wait for a ship to take him back to Italy, Ezio Verla, third engineer on the Italian steamer Giove, is a virtual prisoner in the Plaza hotel, E. R. Dilworth, U. S. immigration official, said today.

Verla went to the hospital on January 12, the day the Giove sailed for Italy, and upon his discharge from the institution Wednesday, he went before the immigration officials seeking permission to stay in the United States. When he told Commissioner Dilworth that he wanted to remain in the states, Verla accepted the status of an immigrant.

But the quota of Italian immigrants allowed by law to enter this country until next July have already entered, Dilworth said. Accordingly, Verla is facing deportation, although an appeal from Port Arthur Italians on his behalf has gone to Secretary of Labor Davis.

A reply from Washington in Verla's case is expected early next week, the immigration commissioner said, but in the meantime, a guard is placed day and night at the door of Verla's room in the Plaza.

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Seen Them? A Nezat Ask Aid in Search For 2 Missing Sons

Request that the police help him locate his two sons missing since Sunday, was made at headquarters Wednesday night by A. Nezat, 1229 Houston avenue, police reported today.

The boys are Alexis Nezat, 15 years old, and Clifford Nezat, 12 years old, their father told the police.

When last seen Alexis was coatless. He is described as being small and slim. His brother, Clifford, had on yellow overalls and coat, was barefooted and wore a cap, police records show.

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ROTARY 100 P. C. MEETS PRAISED

International President Congratulates Pt. Arthur

Port Arthur Rotarians two 100 per cent meetings brought official recognition from International President H. H. Evans today.

President George Sims, of the local Rotary club, read a letter from Evans in which he said, "To you and your members I give my heartiest congratulations for their praiseworthy efforts in this connection. I feel sure that the more 100 per cent meetings you have, the more you and your members will realize their value. Keep up the good work, old fellow."

The club today was entertained by talks from two physical directors at the high school.

In lieu of classification talks today Frank Imhoff and W. R. Johnson paid one dollar fines.

Tom Hughes informed the club that the payment of the fine did not excuse the members from the talks and they could be called upon each week until they responded.

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WARMER

Local Forecast: Tonight increasing cloudiness, warmer. Friday unsettled, local rains in north portion, colder in northwest portion.

Winds on Texas Coast: Moderate to fresh southerly.

Maximum temperature, 62; minimum temperature 50; precipitation, 0.00.

Year ago today: Maximum temperature 44, minimum temperature 28.

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HOUSE ACTION RECOMMENDED

Typographical Errors in Printing to Be Corrected

PASSAGE IS FORECAST
Cousins of Hemphill to Aid Quinn and Merriman

Reported favorably by the committee on municipal and private corporations, Port Arthur's court bill goes back to the house of representatives recommended for passage.

Word to this effect reached Vernon J. Wistner, city attorney, today from Representative B. E. Quinn, who, with Representative J. O. Merriman, introduced the bill in the house.

Several typographical errors made in printing the court bill will have to be made, Wistner said, before it is submitted to the house for passage. A corrected copy of the bill will be returned to Representative Quinn, the city attorney said.

Approval by Attorney General Freeling of both the original and the printed copies of the bill also has been secured, Wistner said. It is indicated, he said, that the bill will pass both house and senate without opposition.

Support of the Port Arthur court bill before the senate has been pledged by Senator W. H. Cousins, of Hemphill, in a communication to Representative B. E. Quinn before the legislature convened in its present session.

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CLAXTON DIES UNDER ENGINE

K. C. S. Switchman Knocked Off Running Board by Rail

Thrown under the wheels of a backing switch engine, W. C. Claxton, 42 switchman for the Kansas City Southern railroad, was instantly killed late Wednesday afternoon. The accident occurred a few hundred feet west of the crossing of the K. C. S. track to the island and the private roadway of the Texas Company.

Body Mangled
Impact of a pile of steel stacked near the track with the footboard upon which Claxton stood hurled him under the wheels of the switch engine, according to eye witnesses. Before the engine could be brought to a standstill, Claxton was dragged about 20 feet under the trucks, and his body horribly mangled, the right leg being severed at the thigh, his skull crushed, and his entire body cut and gashed.

Sidney Blanchard, 928 Shreveport avenue, switchman, and W. J. Wells, conductor in charge of the passenger train known as "Hobo," which the switch engine was taking out to the island to bring in employees, were on the footboard on the opposite side of the tender from Claxton.

Two Others Escape
They escaped unhurt because of the fact that the footboard is divided in the middle, and the side Blanchard and Wells were standing on did not get any of the force of the impact from the collision with the steel rails, Blanchard said today.

When J. I. Grammer's ambulance, summoned to bring Claxton's body back to Port Arthur, reached a passing crew on the docks road, workmen parked a steam roller and truck across the road and refused to let the ambulance over, according to Ray Anderson, in charge of the ambulance. Claxton's body was brought to the K. C. S. depot on a baggage car dispatched to the scene of the accident, and was later removed to J. E. Grammer's undertaking establishment.

Widow in South Carolina
Pending the arrival of Claxton's widow, who has been visiting in Greenwood, South Carolina, funeral arrangements have not been completed. Mrs. Claxton is expected to reach Port Arthur Saturday. A message stating that she left for this city Wednesday night was received here today.

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BARNETTE SAYS HEARINGS ABUSE OF STATE LAW

Says Proceedings Designed to Discredit Klan

STATE DISCONTINUES
Attorney General to Lay Case Before Grand Jury

COURTHOUSE, BASTROP, La., Jan. 25.—The Ku Klux Klan today was charged by the state of Louisiana with responsibility for a condition of lawlessness and disorder in Morehouse parish which culminated in the murder and torture of W. D. Daniel and Thomas Richards.

Attorney General A. W. Coco made the charge in announcing to Judge Fred M. Oden in district court that the state such a time as circumstances may justify their resumption, has decided to discontinue the proceedings, initiated here Jan. 5, in an open hearing.

Convinced, He Says
"It is my very painful and humiliating duty to refer to the deplorable conditions in this parish as revealed by the evidence," said Coco. "The proof is convincing that since the advent of the Ku Klux Klan in this parish there has gradually arisen a condition of lawlessness and lawlessness of government of its own, from which a reign of terror and chaos has resulted, and the parish was on the brink of riot and bloodshed when the governor sent the militia here, and these proceedings were initiated."

While it may be conceded that many Klansmen did not actually participate in or encourage these many acts of lawlessness and crime, which finally culminated in the murder of W. D. Daniel and Thomas F. Richards, their guilt nevertheless is deemed responsible therefore by reason of their silence and inaction. These offenses and crimes were committed in the name of the order, under the protection of its regalia and in the use of its recognized methods of discipline, and under the leadership of its officers, the principal of which has for the last six months at least, brought about a condition in this parish which is a blot upon our civilization and brings into question the proud title of American citizenship."

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Legislative Side Lights

BY HUGH NUGENT FITZGERALD
News Staff Correspondent at The 36th Legislature

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 25.—There is to be a Jackson Day dinner for the lawmakers and the newspaper men February 8 or 9, unless the plans of the promoters go awry. Representatives Joseph Moore, Leet Satterwhite, and W. C. Edwards, all three newspaper men, have been designated as a committee to confer with Joseph Hale of Waco, secretary of the state executive committee of the democratic party, suggesting to Mr. Hale the propriety of getting in touch with Secretary Sam P. Harbin of the Texas Press Association, in order that a program may be outlined and a Jackson Day dinner be made a success.

It is the intention of the promoters to launch an organization statewide that will in the coming years celebrate the anniversary of the birth of Andrew Jackson as it is honored by democrats in the leading states of the nation. There is to be a mid-winter meeting of the state press association in this city on February 8 and 9, and Representative Moore and others conceived the idea that it would be most appropriate to arrange for a Jackson Day dinner and to bring the lawmakers and newspaper men in closer touch.

May Invite McAdoo.
William Gilmer McAdoo or some other democrat of national fame may be invited to respond to the toast the day we celebrate, Thomas Jefferson founded the democratic party; Andrew Jackson is its patron saint; Jackson believed "to the victor belongs the spoils." There are thousands of Texas democrats who venerate old Hickory for the slogan that he made and his willingness to provide an office for every democrat as well as a democrat for every office, when in the long ago he held the reins as president of the United States.

Senator Tom Pollard's court removal bill has created a decided sensation in the pine woods of East Texas. His bill provides for the removal of the court of civil appeals from Texarkana to Tyler. Messrs. Hollis Rodgers and Sil Crumpton of Texarkana were here to enter a decided protest. Colonel T. M. Jones came in from Tyler Monday morning and another delegation of Tylerites arrived in the city Monday night.

Of course, the Tylerites are enthusiastic promoters. They say that Texarkana would have not been selected in the first place, had it not been for the Bailey fight which bubbled up in the legislature in 1909, when the political enemies of Joseph Weldon declared war upon him. After the fight was over, John L. Terrell, who represented an East Texas district in the senate, and who was a strong Bailey man, backed the civil court of appeals bill.

How Texarkana Won.
The house was strong for Bailey, and when it came to picking a permanent home for the court Senator Terrell, with the assistance of the Bailey people in the house, shut Tyler out and Texarkana won the prize. If the location of a court may be called a prize, there is no Bailey issue in the fight now. There is no John L. Terrell in the senate, and there is a Senator P. A. Turner and Texarkana is his home. Those who are for removal declare that Texarkana is on the border line of Arkansas and Louisiana and not accessible to lawyers and litigants who dwell in counties remote.

Senator Pollard is from Van Zandt and if he has the correct dope, a vast majority of the people of the district prefer Tyler and deeply sympathize with the removal scheme. Those who back in Texarkana say that Tyler is as remote as Hades, and that the lawyers who are not politicians and the litigants who are not concerned, object to the change.

Wiley Asks "Why?"
Former State Senator James R. Wiley of Montague county is here on educational matters. He has whispered to his friends that the democrats of his district who believe in straight party nominations and traitor democrats for the officers are to take a more active part in the coming years in political affairs than

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STRONG DREAMS OF REGENERATION

Rarely in the history of under-world stories of the screen has such a vivid tale of regeneration found so excellent an ensemble of forces as those in an exceedingly skillful piece of work, "The Invisible Power." The theme is that of a former convict endeavoring to go straight, but handicapped by his shady past and the persistence of a detective who wants to utilize him as a "stool pigeon." Added to this is the power of mother love; the desire of a mother to see her unborn child escape from the environment in which the parents are forced to live.

House Peters is the hero, Irene Rich and Sydney Alexander support the star. "The Invisible Power" runs Thursday and Friday of this week at the Pearce Theatre.

"CLARENCE"

A Paramount comedy drama with three recognized and popular stars, Wallace Reid, Agnes Ayres, and May McAvoy, is "Clarence." Booth Tarkington's light comedy of the American house circle, abounding in wholesome humor, "Clarence" is the humorous story of an ex-soldier who really drove mules without sweating. He then became a good angel in a family of millionaires whose happiness was being thrust upon the rocks because of their lack of harmony and constant bickering. Clarence found the task of reconciling this family nearly as difficult as driving army mules without cursing, but he accomplishes the task with the aid of his saxophone, his genial temperament and general tact, so that happiness is the lot of all concerned.

This clever comedy-drama, which is packed with laughs from beginning to end, is now entertaining audiences at the Peoples Theatre, where it will run through Saturday.

AMATEUR NIGHT FEATURE

In connection with the performance of the "High Speed Revue" and the feature picture patrons of the Strand tomorrow night will find an added feature, "Amateur Night." Mr. Chappeler is now presenting this feature night and is seeking good talent of which Port Arthur has plenty.

The musical comedy bill, "Schemers," which is the farewell bill of the company now at the Strand, is clever, the special numbers including Jules Kimball, tenor, Jean Bordeaux, too dancer, and Bobbie Golden, the impersonator.

Opening Sunday the Strand will present the Margaret Lillie Company, which has the reputation of being one of the best tabloid shows en route. Margaret Lillie, the character comedienne, is best described as ninety pounds of "pep." A number of clever artists known throughout the south are in the company.

MYSTERY STORY

One of the unusual scenes in "The Blue Mountain Mystery," the baffling

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This way—rid yourself of misery from corns. In one minute Dr. Scholl's Zino-pads will do it—safely! They remove the entire friction-pressure. You risk no infection from cutting, no danger from corrosive acids. Zino-pads protect while they heal. Thin, antiseptic, waterproof. Sizes for corns, callouses, bunions. Get a box today at your druggist's or shoe dealer's.

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TEXAS PAPER OF 1849 IN U. FILES

"The Texas Republic" Was Published at Marshall

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 25.—Among the files in the library of the University of Texas are copies of a newspaper which was published in Marshall in 1849 and 1850. The paper was called "The Texas Republic" and was published each week. The first copy being dated May 25, 1849. The curious terms upon which the general public received the paper are given at the beginning of the first column of the first copy. From this statement it is found that the price of the paper was 82 per annum, if paid in advance or within two months of subscribing, 82 if paid after two months after subscribing, and 82 if paid after the end of the year of subscribing. Rates for advertising are given as \$1 a square of ten lines or less and 50 cents a square of every subsequent insertion. A liberal discount was offered for yearly advertisements.

Promoters were T. A. and F. B. Patillo—the latter being the sole publisher till July 6, 1849, when he collaborated with R. W. Loughery. Advertisements were scattered promiscuously over the pages and close observation is necessary to distinguish between them and real news. Number 28 of The Texas Republic concludes the record.

photoplay coming soon to the Liberty Theatre, takes place above the clouds. A man is shot under strange circumstances, and suspicion falls on both his wife and daughter. The murder takes place in a hotel on the top of a mountain, and scenes looking down from it show billowing white waves like the backs of a huge flock of sheep. These are clouds, for the picture was "shot" far above them—the first time a movie has gone up in the air so high for atmosphere.



GOODYEAR
wants every motorist who buys a Goodyear Tire to get the utmost in tire quality and tire performance. To that end it builds tires of the highest quality, and markets them only through dealers who are known for responsibility and service. We have been chosen as Goodyear Dealers in this town simply because we measure up to Goodyear standards.

As Goodyear Service Station Dealers we sell and recommend Goodyear Tires and back them up with standard Goodyear Service.

E. BRINKMAN SUPPLY CO.

GOODYEAR

The March of Progress Starts Tomorrow

One Hundred and Twenty-Five Workers Start the 'Progress March' That Will Continue "Round the World"

—and tomorrow will see the test of your patriotism. Promptly at 10 o'clock Friday morning 125 workers will begin soliciting for the 1923 budget of the Chamber of Commerce. Only \$30,000 is asked to carry on a work that spells millions for the future of Port Arthur.

What better investment can you make? The future of Port Arthur is as assured as Government bonds are safe. Port Arthur works for you. The Chamber of Commerce works for you. Now is the time you can work for Port Arthur. Now is the time you can help Port Arthur help yourself.

The Chamber of Commerce is responsible in a large measure for our present growth and prosperity.

If you invested last year, INVEST more this year. If you didn't invest last year, start tomorrow and "cash in."

Be ready when the workers call Friday. If he misses you, call 368 and a man will be sent.

'Boost the Budget'

The \$30,000 Budget Drive for 1923 Starts Tomorrow Do Your Share for Port Arthur

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Cure Colds in 24 Hours
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Playing thru Saturday
WALLACE REID
Agnes Ayres, May McAvoy and Kathryn Williams in "CLARENCE"

Also Ben Turpin in Home Made Movies

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Musical Comedy—Feature Picture
Now Playing
Norman's High Speed Revue
—In—
SCHEMERS
New Vaudeville Specialties
Feature Picture "Above All Law"
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Today and Friday
Happiness gained thru tremendous odds is in

The Invisible Power
An intense drama of the underworld, wherein emotions run riot.

Featuring
House Peters and Irene Rich
New Musical Comedy Co.
Opens Sunday
Margaret Lillie Revue
STRAND

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

THURSDAY

"Silver Tea" will be given at the home of Mrs. W. J. Boutwell, 2100 Sixth street, from 2:30 to 5 o'clock under the auspices of the Beta Division of the First Christian church.

Mrs. M. E. Cleveland, assisted by Mrs. H. I. Brown, Mrs. A. C. Vincent, Mrs. S. D. Stuart, Mrs. P. C. E. Carr, Mrs. T. C. Roddy, Mrs. J. L. Carroll, Mrs. E. E. Stuckey, and Mrs. D. D. Brannon will entertain the Missionary Society of the First M. E. Church, South, at her home, 1610 Sixth street.

Mrs. Joseph W. Smith will be hostess to St. George's Episcopal Guild at her home, 1115 Fifth street. Important session at 2:30 o'clock. Miss Hannah Bos will be hostess to the Thursday Afternoon Sewing Club at her home, 1849 Lake Shore drive, 2:30 o'clock.

Miss Nettie Taylor will be hostess to the Wabasco Camp Fire Girls at her home, 1639 Seventh street, 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. M. E. Crawford and Mrs. H. I. Brown will be joint hostesses to the Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian church at the former's home, 2241 Fourth street, 2:30 o'clock.

The Altar Society of St. Mary's Catholic church will meet at the Knights of Columbus hall, 2:30 o'clock.

Mrs. P. E. Gifford will entertain the Missionary Society of the Congregational church at her home on North Procter street.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the First Baptist church will meet in all day session at the church, Monday afternoon, beginning at 10:30 o'clock.

Mrs. James Carroll will be hostess to the Rosarian Bridge Club at her home, 2321 Procter street, 8 o'clock.

Mrs. J. A. Paschal, assisted by Mrs. J. A. Pond, Mrs. Ralph Smith, and Mrs. H. C. Witbeck, will entertain the Cora Cameron Cann class at her home, 826 Fifth street, 2:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Sidney C. Collin will entertain the Friday Bridge Club at her home, 640 Stillwell boulevard.

The Port Arthur Camp Fire Guards Association will meet with Mrs. L. E. Mossman at her home, 2113 Seventh street, 7:30 o'clock.

The Gulf Club will entertain a dance at the Gulf Club house, 9 o'clock.

A HOSPITALITY OF DELIGHTFUL appointment was the luncheon yesterday afternoon at one o'clock with Mrs. G. L. Priebe as gracious hostess at her home, 1749 Procter street.

The personnel of this pleasing affair included members of the Wednesday Whist club.

Following the tempting luncheon, which afforded diversion for the guests during the afternoon hours, and at the close of the usual number of games, the prizes for success were offered. Mrs. G. L. Priebe received the first prize and the second favor fell to Mrs. J. P. Lander.

Three tables of players enjoyed Mrs. Priebe's charming hospitality, included among whom were Mrs. R. N. Woodworth, Mrs. R. H. Woodworth, Mrs. M. P. Bledsoe, Mrs. G. N. Bliss, Mrs. A. N. Beckham, Mrs. Frank D. Mabry, Mrs. S. O. Latimer, Mrs. P. C. Craig, Mrs. H. L. Drake, Mrs. Horton L. Drake, Mrs. C. C. Harrell and Mrs. J. P. Lander.

Mrs. R. N. Woodworth will entertain the club next week at the Woodworth home on Vandervoort avenue.

ONE OF THE DELIGHTFUL affairs of next week will be the Bachelors' club banquet and radio concert, which will be given at the High School Thursday evening, February 1. All members of the Bachelors' club are invited to attend this affair.

MISS LETTICIA AHNSEN entertained a few of her friends with a party Saturday evening in honor of Ralph Thorsen of Marshalltown, Iowa, who left Sunday for Galveston where he will remain indefinitely.

The evening hours were spent in dancing and punch was served during intermission.

The personnel included Misses Florence Coleman, Velma Lee Machin, Lucille Gardner, Ida Hebert, Maxine Fennell, Eva Hardin, Ruth Morgan, Antney Mae Duniven, Rita Haynes, Lucille Haynes, Marvita Baker, and Letticia Ahlsen; Messrs. Brannon Coleman, Scully Loupe, Glena Bell, Roy Hodges, Ray Branson, Roman Prejan, Roland Cameron, Ray Morgan, Maurice Blackmon, Herbert Crawford, Robert Walker, George H. Pabst, Ralph Jorgensen, and Bennett

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS WEATHER MAN'S LETTER

By Olive Roberts Burton



"Tap, tap, tap!" she went on that person's door with the big knocker.

You never saw anything like Mr. Sprinkle-Blow in your life? Mr. Stumps was the fairy postmaster and the post-office was in the hickory tree and it was chuck full of letters.

Nancy and Nick, with the magical glasses that the Green Wizard had given them, were trying to sort them out.

"Here's one for Mr. Sprinkle-Blow," said Nancy, picking up a letter and turning it upside down and downside up, and almost turning it inside out. "I'm going to take it to him in Bluster Gust Land in the sky right away."

So off Nancy started in her magic Green Shoes, through the sky to Bluster Gust Land where Mr. Sprinkle-Blow, the fairy weather man, lived. It was snowing but she didn't mind a bit.

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McMahon, Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Ahlson, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Van Slyke and little daughter, Gertrude Slyke.

THE CORA CAMERON CANN class will be entertained tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. A. Paschal, 826 Fifth street.

Assisting Mrs. Paschal in hostess duties will be Mrs. F. A. Pond, Mrs. Ralph Smith and Mrs. H. C. Witbeck. Election of officers will feature the evening, and it is hoped that all members will be in attendance.

MRS. MARGARET BIER entertained at a charmingly appointed dinner last evening at her home, 541 Fort Worth avenue, in compliance to Miss Teressa McClave, one of Beaumont's most accomplished musicians.

The board was graced with a couple of beautiful pink roses. Covers were laid for seven. Following the tempting dinner, Miss Blanchette Moss entertained with vocal solos and Richard Johnston rendered a number of violin selections. Mrs. McClave delighted the guests with several instrumental and vocal numbers. Piano accompaniments were played by C. N. Bier.

Guests enjoying Mrs. Bier's delightful hospitality included Misses Teressa McClave, and Blanche Richards, Misses O. R. Williams, Messrs. Richard Johnston, Praxton, and C. N. Bier.

MRS. VIVIAN PEVITO OF 1611 Procter street has as her guest, her sister, Miss Adeline Neighbors of San Marcos.

MRS. ALICE SANDERS pleasantly entertained the members of the R. B. B. Club last evening at her home on Stillwell boulevard.

At the close of a delightful evening of social conversation, musical selections, and needlework, the hostess offered a delicious refreshment service.

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MISS MARIE MCCATHRAN, pretty seventeen-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McCathran of Washington, D. C., made quite an impression by her graceful dancing when she appeared in "Up in the Clouds" at the Kyle theatre in Beaumont Tuesday evening.

Miss McCathran is the youngest member of the company and is an accomplished musician and dancer, having studied under Mrs. Hoskins and Hoffman in Washington, and was a pupil of the late F. N. Eddin, president of the College of Music. Several plays have been produced by Miss McCathran for the Walter Reed hospital in Washington, which have gained an enviable reputation for her.

Since her graduation from the Central high school in Washington in June she has been with the company and critics say the remarkable talent she has shown insures for her a wonderful career.

Miss McCathran and her mother, who accompanies her while traveling, were the guests of Miss Thelma Coughlin of this city during the McCathrans' stay in Beaumont. Miss McCathran made a host of friends during her visit here who are interested in her future success.

MRS. L. J. HANNON'S ENTERTAINMENT of the Needlecraft club was a delightful affair of Wednesday afternoon at her home on Tenth street.

Attractive decorations of roses and green foliage gave a pretty setting for afternoon's entertainment. The hostess offered a dainty salad course at the close of the afternoon.

Guests included Mrs. Joseph Bash, Mrs. F. G. Betzel, Mrs. S. E. Lapp, Mrs. M. C. Gorman, Mrs. Dick Schultz, Mrs. Baxter, Mrs. J. D. Dunlavy, Mrs. Earl Rogers, Mrs. John Ferguson, Mrs. George Steinhil, and Mrs. Charles Steele.

Mrs. Walter Kavanaugh will be hostess to the club on February 8 at her home, 1625 Ninth street.

MRS. IREN CLOONEY LEAVES tonight for Pittsburg, where she will join her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clooney will make their home in Pittsburg.

AN ATTRACTIVE AFFAIR OF Wednesday was the bridge party with Mrs. F. C. Taylor as hostess at the home of Mrs. J. D. Bryan on Lake Shore drive, the personnel including members of the Wednesday Bridge Club.

A delicate motif of pink and blue was selected by the hostess to feature the affair, the pink hue being displayed in the lovely pink carnations and the blue scheme predominating on the favors and bridge table appointments.

For success in the games, Mrs. D. Barnard received first prize, and Mrs. J. D. Bryan captured the second favor. A lovely salad course was offered at the close of the games.

Players for the afternoon included Mrs. Carl Zapf, Mrs. Thomas Culp, Mrs. E. H. Hayes, Mrs. George Deleval, Mrs. E. D. Bernard, Mrs. J. M. Goodwin, Mrs. A. A. King, Mrs. W. A. Williams, Mrs. J. M. Pyle, Mrs. J. D. Bryan, Mrs. L. B. Hightower, and Mrs. F. C. Taylor.

Mrs. L. B. Hightower will entertain the club next week at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. B. Peck, 2416 Procter street.

PETE'S WINE HAD RICK WALKER, O. Jan. 25.—Wine which, according to analysis, tested more than 10 per cent, proved a costly possession for Pete Flora. Appearing before Police Judge Jones on a charge of keeping intoxicating liquors, Flora was fined \$250 and costs and sent back to jail to stay until payment of the fine.

Officers installed were Mrs. W. F. Sylvester, commander; Mrs. F. C. Fanta, lieutenant; Mrs. Isabella Baracut, past commander; Mrs. W. A. Milne, chaplain; Mrs. C. H. Gunthorpe, Jr., record keeper; Mrs. F. A. Dwyer, lady-at-arms; Mrs. H. M. Frederickson, sergeant; Mrs. J. B. Stevenson, sentinel; and Mrs. Rose, picket.

Officers appointed after the new officers took their chairs were Mrs. J. A. Paschal, junior commander; Mrs. George Collins, queen of the Rose Court; Mrs. Lee Mostwell Jacobie, pianist; and Mrs. F. A. Dwyer, reporter.

Mrs. Goldsmith of Chicago, Ill., and

PT. ARTHUR GIRL NIMBLE NYMPH

May Alice Walker One of 14 "K. U. Quacks"

Among Port Arthur students gaining prominent recognition while away at universities is Miss May Alice Walker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Walker of 1649 Procter street, who is one of the fourteen "K. U. Quacks," a new organization of expert swimmers, divers and life savers of the University of Kansas.

Hundreds of co-eds in the university take swimming as a part of the regular physical education program, but the members of the Quack club are said to represent the cream of all the fair water nymphs. All Quacks have passed a rigid series of tests before being declared full-fledged members.

Miss Walker is a freshman at the University of Kansas. She graduated with the Class of '20 of the Port Arthur High School, and during the following year was assistant playground teacher at DeQuincy school. She took an active part in all of the school's social and athletic activities.

DEAN OF VASSAR OPPOSES CENSOR

Girls More Sensible Than Ever Before, She Says

BY HUBERT BAUGHN
ATLANTA, Jan. 25.—"I don't believe in censorship for girls, plays or books," says Miss Mildred Thompson, a visitor here with her parents, in the first interview she has granted since her election as dean of Vassar, famous girls' school.

"Wouldn't you advise Vassar freshmen against reading such books as 'Cathedral,' 'Gargoyles' and 'Jurgens'?" Miss Thompson was asked.

"Matter of training. I won't be drawn into a discussion of literary merit," was the reply, "but my point is this:

"It does no good to give people a set of rules as to what to do and not to do—girls especially.

"At Vassar we try to implant a sense of discrimination. If we succeed, the individual rejects what is shallow or superficial.

"I prefer the 'new girl' to the old one," Miss Thompson continued. "She isn't afraid of reality. You can talk to her 'as man to man,' and expect her to be square with you.

"Girls who enter college now have ideas. They used to finish college and then wait until they were married before applying any ideas. They still marry, but they don't wait for the ideas. After graduation they enter important work of one sort or another.

"As to morals, I believe absolutely in the modern girl. I admit I don't approve of some of the things girls do today, but, in general, I believe they are much more sensible now than they ever have been before."

HOLD ART EXHIBIT
LIVINGSTON, Texas, Jan. 25.—An art exhibit of reproductions of paintings of both the old masters and American artists of renown, was displayed here under the auspices of the Sorosis Club.

Camp Fire Guardians To Witness Boy Scout Demonstration Friday

The Port Arthur Camp Fire Guardians' Association will meet Friday evening at 7:15 o'clock at the home of Mrs. L. E. Mossman in the Model addition for the purpose of familiarizing the women with the camp fire work.

An interesting program has been arranged for the evening. Captain David W. Eddy and several Boy Scouts will give demonstrations in tent erecting, fire-making and other features necessary to camp life.

All department club committees, guardians, prospective guardians, and other interested in Camp Fire work in Port Arthur are requested to be present Friday evening.

DAVIS' BROTHER IS ON WAY HERE

Identification of Suicide Is Believed Certain

C. B. Davis of Amarillo, Texas, division freight and passenger agent for the Chicago, Rock Island and Gulf railroad, will arrive in Port Arthur Friday or Saturday to view the body of Thomas H. Davis, held since January 2 in J. E. Grammer's undertaking establishment, in order to determine whether or not the body is that of his brother of that name, who disappeared eight or ten years ago.

Following the receipt of a letter Wednesday from C. B. Davis, in which he gave a description of his brother, Thomas H. Davis, Grammer wired back that the description tallied with that of the body held in the morgue. In response to this telegram, C. B. Davis wired he would be in Port Arthur Friday or Saturday to view the body.

A photograph of the Thomas H. Davis, brother of C. B. Davis, was received today by Grammer from Davis' mother, Mrs. J. H. Redden, of Mexico, Texas. The picture was taken many years ago, but a resemblance of the features in the picture and those of the body is noticeable, according to Grammer.

Boost the Budget—OHIO'S FIRST VILLAGE
NEW PHILADELPHIA, O., Jan. 25.—Plans for asking the General Assembly to appropriate \$6,000 to purchase the 24-acre site of Ohio's first village, at Schenburn Spring, a mile and a half southeast of New Philadelphia, will be formulated at the meeting of the Tuscarawas county Historical Society today.

FOR ITCHING TORTURE

Use Antiseptic Liquid Zemo

There is one remedy that seldom fails to stop itching torture and relieve skin irritation, and that makes the skin soft, clear and healthy.

Any drugstore can supply you with Zemo, which generally overcomes skin diseases, Eczema, Itch, Pimples, Rashes, Blackheads, in most cases give way to Zemo. Frequently, minor blemishes disappear overnight. Itching usually stops instantly. Zemo is a safe, antiseptic liquid, clean, easy to use and dependable. It costs only 35c; an extra large bottle, \$1.00. It is positively safe for tender, sensitive skins.

Deaf Boys Court Deaf School Girls; Official Asks Ban

DELAWARE, Wis., Jan. 25.—Too ardent courtship via the love letter route between deaf boys of Delaware and deaf girls in the state school for the deaf here has aroused school officials to appeal to the attorney general for legal obstacles to halt the attentions of the letter-writing swains.

The letters received by the girls from their boy friends have so disrupted the regular course of work at the school that Supt. T. Emory Bray Saturday asked Atty. Gen. Herman L. Ekerin what he can legally do to remedy the situation.

An enforced censorship may be put into effect as one means of halting off these appealing letters. J. Zerschmidt, assistant attorney general, advised the superintendent in an opinion. He said each girl could be required either to sign a written order whereby school authorities are given permission to examine her mail, or to be forbidden from sending or receiving any sealed mail.

This, the attorney general believes, would be a solution of the problem, complicated by federal laws which forbid tampering with the mails.

In addition to the letter writing propensities of the girls, Supt. Bray complained of the attention "down town deaf boys"—are paying to the deaf girls. The attorney general did not attempt to explain how this association might be prevented.

Joint Installation by Royal Neighbors and Modern Woodmen

The Royal Neighbors and the Modern Woodmen of America will hold a joint installation service Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the W. O. W. hall.

Preparations for this event were made before the recent fire in the Hartford building, and announcement was made today that all plans would be carried out as made before the fire. All members and their families of both organizations are invited to attend the installation ceremony. Refreshments will be served at the close of the ceremony.

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Room 7, Dismukes Bldg.

Policeman Called Home Finds a Man Retired in Bathtub

STOKE CITY, Jan. 25.—When Policeman "Beatty" McLeod responded to a "1st call from his wife, who told him that a strange man was 'meaning around' on the second floor of their home, he found the stranger, partly disrobed and preparing to retire in the bathtub. Accommodations were furnished at the police station for the remainder of the night, and \$5 fee collected Saturday in police court.

Boost the Budget—75,000 BBL. TANKS FOR HUMPHREY FARM
BEAUMONT, Jan. 25.—Nothing new was heard on concerning the proposed Humphrey refinery at Port Neches when Paul Gage, vice president of the company, reached here from Dallas last night.

Mr. Gage did announce, however, that seven 55,000-barrel storage tanks would be erected on the Humphrey farm at Port Neches.

Prescription Order By Radio Saves Woman

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—A prescription sent by radio, filled and delivered in less than 10 minutes, probably prevented Mrs. Marie Wandelt, Baronne, 26 J., developing pneumonia.

Dr. Frederick C. Gray, her physician, found her suffering from influenza and in immediate danger of pneumonia. Her son, Paul, has a radio set. Dr. Gray asked him if he knew a druggist with a receiving set. He did.

Dr. Gray broadcasted the prescription and fortunately the druggist was at his set. He got it correctly and 10 minutes later Mrs. Wandelt had taken her medicine.

Boost the Budget—CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank our many friends for their kindnesses during the illness and death of our dear husband and father, W. D. Hopkins. May God bless them all.

Mrs. M. AUSTIN

Are Your Days a Pleasure? Perfect Health Will Make Them So.
Grainola, Oka.—"I am now absolutely free from the feminine trouble from which I suffered, together with annoying nervousness, and I certainly owe my recovery to Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription. I have taken only three bottles, but am sound and well and have gained 10 pounds."

Mrs. Minnie Austin.
If you're nervous or troubled like Mrs. Austin, go to your druggist at once and obtain this Prescription of Dr. Pierce's, in tablets or liquid. Write Dr. Pierce in Buffalo, N. Y., for free, confidential medical advice. Send 10c if you desire a trial package, tablets.—adv.

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—at 75c and 85c yard comes in brown, lavender, black, blue, tan, grey and pretty combinations including black with red dots.

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BERTHA LACES
—ilk shadow lace in cream and black for designing berths, 9 to 12 inches wide, 95c to \$1.75 yard.

BANDEAUXES
—for the girl graduate, the latest in head dress, silver and gold flower designed bandeauxes at \$1.05.

BEAD ORNAMENTS
—beaded trimming for dresses, 35c to 50c each, pastel shades.

JET ORNAMENTS
—jet and silver, heura and jet, blue and henna ornaments for the finishing touches to dresses, \$1.50 to \$4.95.

Clean Up Sale
COATS
All kinds of Coats made of the finest quality velvet cloth with and without fur collars, all colors; your size may be among the lot; choice while they last at **\$8.95**

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RIGHT EARFUL
You've heard those guys talk about the birds they killed and the fish they caught, but you ever see them?

Stars Send Challenge To Good Gulf Quintet

Texas Company Seeking Games With Rice, Triangles and Galveston, Also; Play Sour Lake February 3.

BY "BILL" ARCHER
THE TEXACO STARS of the Texas Company want a whack at the Good Gulf crown.
This bit of information is gleaned from assertions handed out by officials of the Texas Company basketball club today, and is more clearly written in a statement as follows:
"We have made offers to the Good Gulf team of Port Arthur, and are ready to arrange games with them which we expect to start soon."

GAME WOULD BE FAST
A game between the Good Gulf and the Texas Stars would undoubtedly be as thrilling a contest as local fans could expect.
It would probably be filled with more fighting spirit than any ever carried here, and would undoubtedly draw a larger crowd than any contest either team might match with an outsider, for it would be local boys pitted against local boys, and that's always a drawing card.

NO MORE IN SCHOOLS
The Stars have played their last high school competitor. They played their last when they conquered Beaumont 11 some time ago, in a couple of clashes that were easy victories for them.
The Stars, it is pointed out to local fans, would never have entered the lists against a high school had it not been for the fact that they could not get scheduled or guaranteed games with better quality.

AFTER BIG TEAMS
The Texas Company club has made offers to the Houston Triangles, Galveston Sea Gulls, Rice Institute Fish and the Sour Lake Alumni five, exclusive of the challenge made public today to the Good Gulf contingent.
Negotiations are now under way, according to Perkins of the Stars, to bring the Rice Fish here, and that club is considered just as hard an opponent as the Aggie Freshmen were for the Gulls.

ARE TRAINING HARD
The Stars have been undergoing terrific training all this week, and have had several new players out to practice. All the new additions have shown up well at practice, and will possibly be given an opportunity to show their stuff at Sour Lake.
With the new men out for practice, the older players to a standard, and with the club showing up in better form than it has ever exhibited, it isn't hard to predict that the Texas crew will be hard to beat.

ONLY NINE-LETTER MAN
CAMBRIDGE, Jan. 25.—When George Owen graduates at Harvard next June he will wear the proud honor of being the only nine-letter athlete ever graduated from John Harvard's halls.
Owen earned his eighth varsity letter at New Haven Saturday night when he took the ice against Yale in hockey and won equalled the individual record for acquiring the crimson "H."

As captain of the Harvard basketball team Owen will receive his ninth letter in the spring.
Owen owes his championship collection of letters to one of the greatest competitive spirits ever known in amateur sports.
He is well equipped physically, but no test has ever been able to quench the bright flame of his fighting spirit and that spirit has made him one of John Harvard's most brilliant sons in the matter of athletic achievement.

RIPON COLLEGE JOINS MIDWEST CONFERENCE
RIPON, Jan. 25.—Ripon College is to join the Midwest Intercollegiate Athletic conference, according to an announcement by President Sivas Evans of Ripon. Dr. Evans wrote C. J. Hunt of Carleton college, president of the Midwest conference, that after having reviewed the situation carefully, it was the unanimous view of the college faculty and commission on athletics that Ripon should accept the invitation of that body to enter its membership. Ripon was the first Wisconsin college to receive an invitation to join the original body, but at that time it was deemed advisable to wait for a decision by the rest of the Midwest conference to limit its membership to three colleges each from the states of Illinois, Iowa, Wisconsin and Minnesota. With Ripon, Beloit and Lawrence in Wisconsin, the first state to fill its quota. The other members are Knox and Millikin of Illinois; Carleton and Cornell of Iowa; Carleton and Hamilton of Minnesota. The Midwest track meet will be held at Coe college.

AGGIES STAGE ANOTHER WIN
STILLWATER, Okla.—Texas Aggie basketball team defeated the Oklahoma Aggie five, 24 to 17, here last night.

NAVY BEATS PENNSYLVANIA
ANAPOLIS, Md.—University of Pennsylvania lost to the Naval Academy, 30 to 31, here last night.

Boost the Budget
The Texas Stars are launching out after bigger meat. They have sent out a bludgeon challenge to the Gulls of the Gulf Refining company which will undoubtedly be answered.

Wallace Should Be Good Scout

BOBBY WALLACE, in his day one of the greatest shortstops that ever lived, is a scout for the Chicago Cubs this year.
Wallace should prove a most valuable man to the Cubs from several angles. It is rather surprising that no American League club signed him to act in such a capacity.
No one is a better judge of a ball player than Wallace, and it is a cinch that the Cubs will get none the worse of it from a scouting angle with Wallace looking after their interests.
In addition Wallace should prove a great help to Killefer in the development of his young infielders. Wallace, as just master of shortstop, touching a number being his specialty—should be able to polish the rough spots off Killefer's promising youngsters.

ON THE FIRING LINE

With "TAB"
The Texas Stars are launching out after bigger meat. They have sent out a bludgeon challenge to the Gulls of the Gulf Refining company which will undoubtedly be answered.

The elusive Jack Dempsey may stage another championship bout some day. However, it is apparently very doubtful. Probably, if he could have his way, even when his championship bout is signed he would have it staged in some out-of-the-way place where his opponent could only win by a knockout.

He has consistently blocked every fighter that came his way, when he had the opportunity. And when he wasn't blocking them, his aide-de-camp in New York City—to wit, the New York boxing commission—was doing that job for him.

Along came Bill Brennan for another look on the chin and the chair-hokey of the commission said Bill couldn't fight because he wasn't good enough.

The Battling Siki knocked over Carpenter and said he was coming to America after Dempsey. The commission stopped him before he got started with an edict that he would have to meet Kid Norfolk before he could fight anyone.

Then happened along Jess Willard looking also for another chance and a new purse. The commission turned Jess back with the statement that he was too old to fight and that he never could fight.

Tommy Gibbons, the most likely of all the challengers, was next in line and he was turned down because he was too small.

Floyd Johnson is next and he'll get his because he is too inexperienced.

TENNIS HONORS IN 1923 FOR U. S. ARE SLIM

Davis Cup Matches Hold Only Chance of Titles

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—All the honors that the United States can win in tennis next season will have to be won in the Davis cup matches. Mrs. Molla Mallory, American women's champion, has announced her intention not to play at Wimbledon and the United States Lawn Tennis Association is not going to send representatives to the British championships.
Success of America's colors even in the Davis cup matches is much more doubtful than it was at the end of last season when it looked as if Uncle Sam had a ninety-nine year lease on the trophy; since then, however, Bill Tilden has lost a part of a finger and that has changed the complexion of the whole situation.
Upon Tilden's ability to play something close to his former world's championship game with a crippled hand depends America's chance to retain the cup.
Bill Johnston is not physically powerful enough to carry the entire load on his shoulders and it has been shown that Dick Williams and Vinie Richards are not the artists of the "two hit" type.

Boost the Budget
The old Gracery estate, at Glenview, in Casson county, has been acquired by the club, and Mr. MacDonald, one of the founders, and famed as a landscape architect and golf course authority, has mapped out what is considered to be a unique as well as the finest golf course in the country, if not in the world.

12 FOUNDERS OF EXPENSIVE GOLF CLUB DIRECTORS

Million Dollar Organization Is Incorporated

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Twelve founding members of "The Creek" the recently projected "Million Dollar Golf Club," are named as the first directors of the exclusive organization a certificate of incorporation for which has just been filed. The names and places of residence of the twelve millionaires directors of what is undoubtedly the richest golf club in the world, are given as follows in the announcement:
Vincent Astor, Frank L. Johnson, Crocker, Marshall Field, Harvey D. Gibson, Edward S. Harkness, Richard Lowe, Charles B. Macdonald, Clarence H. McKay, J. P. Morgan, Herbert L. Pratt, John D. Ryan, and Harry Payne Whitney.

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Sport Tabloids
KANSAS LOSES FIRST TEST
KANSAS CITY, Mo.—Kansas University basketball squad lost its first game of the year to the Kansas City Blue Diamonds, an independent team, last night, 27 to 26.

GEORGIA BEATS WOFFORD COLLEGE
ATHENS, Ga.—Playing a brilliant defensive game, the University of Georgia quintet defeated Wofford College basketball team by a score of 35 to 28 here last night.

RURWOOD MEETS WALTER HAGEN
ASHLEY, N. C.—Joseph Kirkwood, ex-Australian champion, and Walter Hagen, British open golf champion, will play a series of matches here during March, according to advices today.

BOXING TAKES HIGHER RANK
ATLANTA.—Boxing probably will be added to the list of major sports at Georgia Tech here following the acquisition of a completely equipped gymnasium.

LUIS FIROPO WILLING TO TACKLE CHAMPION
NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Luis Firpo, South American heavyweight champion, is willing to fight Jack Dempsey if he wins from Bill Brennan, according to a cable Tex Rickard received from him accepting terms for the Brennan bout.

Boost the Budget
HE WILL QUIT TRACK
CHICAGO, Jan. 25.—Joie Ray, athletic distance man of the Illinois Athletic club, announced today he will retire from track competition following the present indoor season. Joie plans to give all his attention to business.

Boost the Budget
FORMER NATIONAL CHAMP
NEWARK, Jan. 25.—Lorin Murchison, former national champion sprinter, equaled the world's record for 60 yards here last night by doing the distance in six and two-fifths seconds. He also won the 50 and 70 yard dashes. Jackson V. Scholz was second in the three events.

"PROFESSOR"



KEANE FITZPATRICK
Veteran Princeton coach, who has been given the title of "professor."

Boost the Budget
2 EX-HOUSTON PLAYERS WANT ANOTHER TRIAL

Must Pay Fines of \$200 Before They Can Return

HOUSTON, Jan. 25.—Two ex-Houston baseball players who were delinquent years ago by the siren voices of independent and semi-trial league are now seeking reinstatement in the national pastime. One is Izzy Greenberg, a catcher, who jumped the club. The other is H. E. McLean, a southpaw pitcher.

Secretary Farrell of the National Association and President H. L. Robinson of Houston have made it plain to Messrs. Hagan and Greenberg that it will cost them \$200 to re-establish themselves, provided they can show they have not played with or against other contract jumpers, during their absence. The \$200 fine will not go into the treasury of the Houston club, but into that of the National Association.

Boost the Budget
LOOS WINS OPEN TITLE
LOS ANGELES.—Eddie Loos, Chicago and Los Angeles professional, won the open golf championship of southern California at Plant Hedge Country club, turning in a card of 291 for the 72 holes.

KANSAS CITY A C WINNER
KANSAS CITY, Mo.—The Kansas City Athletic club defeated the University of Kansas at basketball, 27 to 23, here last night in a time forfeit by long distance goal throwing.

ALL GOLFERS WATCH TEXAS
NEW ORLEANS.—New Orleans golfers have their eyes focused on San Antonio, where the Texas open championship tournament will begin tomorrow and run through three days.

IF KIDNEYS ACT BAD TAKE SALTS
Says Backache Often Means You Have Not Been Drinking Enough Water

When you wake up with backache and dull misery in the kidney region it may mean you have been eating foods which create acids, says a well-known authority. An excess of such acids overworks the kidneys in their effort to filter it from the blood and they become sort of paralyzed and boggy. When your kidneys get sluggish and clog you must relieve them, like you relieve your bowels, removing all the body's urinous waste, else you have backache, sick headache, dizzy spells; your stomach sour, tongue is coated, and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment, channels often get sore, water seeds and you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night.

Either consult a good, reliable physician at once or get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for years to help clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize acids in the system, so they no longer irritate, thus often relieving bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, cannot injure and makes a delightful, effervescent, lithium-water drink. Drink lots of soft water. By all means have your physician examine your kidneys at least twice a year—adv.

FINAL MINUTE RALLY ENABLES GULF TO WIN

Girls Stake Bitter Fight in Beaumont to Retain Lead

BEAUMONT, Jan. 25.—Playing their usual stellar game, the Good Gulf girls team from Port Arthur staged a final-minute rally here last night and won from the Christians, 30 to 27.

It was one of the hardest fought contests that has been staged here in the girls basketball league.
The Christians sprung a big surprise at the opening period, and were a formidable challenger of the Good Gulf lead all through the game.

The score was tied repeatedly and the lead shifted from club to club numerous times. Nothing but a desperate rally enabled the Good Gulf to triumph. The field goals by O'Neill in rapid succession earned Christians' one point lead within one minute of the final whistle.

The gallery went into an uproar as the Beaumont entry forged to the front with five minutes to play. The teams increased the fight which had been waged with determination, and it will likely be many days before fans witness another such finish.

Sensational baskets by forwards of both teams brought many cheers and despite well planned and executed defenses, the count piled up with regularity. Margaret O'Neill looped eight field goals and two free throws, while Godwin was near that total with five field goals and four one-point loops.

The defensive play of Allums and Montgomery shattered the formations of the visitors and the series of baskets ordinarily witnessed when the Good Gulf is on the floor was disrupted.

There was little to choose between the three Christians forwards. They looped corners in profusion despite the effort of Pharr and Clark. Margaret Crow whiffed from the basket to guard in the final half and perhaps her stellar defensive play saved an upset in the evening's play.

Good Gulf (30): Pos. Christians (27): Erickson Forward Matthews Forward O'Neill Forward Thompson Forward Pharr Guard Godwin Guard Williams Guard Allums Guard Lindes Substitutions: G. G. Hollifield Field goals: Matthews 8; Thompson 3; Godwin 5; Erickson 3; O'Neill 8; Crow 1; Hollifield 2. Free goals: Matthews 1; Godwin 1; O'Neill 2. Personal fouls: G. G. 8; Christians 7.

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MANAGER!



Kitty O'Neil

There's no stopping the woman force.
These two received equal rights with men when they began cutting in on all things—politics included.
Women have already held most positions in sport except managing a big league ball club.

A step in the managerial direction has been made by Miss Kitty O'Neil of New York, who is the manager of one of the best basketball teams in that city, the Naval Militia Reserve five.

Boost the Budget
Foursome Starts Play In Texas Annual Golf Meet at San Antonio

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Jan. 25.—Play in the prearranged best ball match of the Texas Open Golf Tournament began at 9 o'clock this morning when a foursome composed of Peter W. Henry, Cleveland, Ohio; Lieutenant Jas. Heffly, Fort Sam Houston; Ervin Nelson, New Orleans; and Roy Lewis, San Antonio, teed off.

There are 225 entries in the event and the best ball record of the course, 63 is expected to be broken. In previous years the record has been tied several times by the visitors.

Tomorrow morning the professionals will line up for play in the main event of the tournament, the 72 hole battle for the \$8,000 purse.

Boost the Budget
HELD IN CHICAGO
MILWAUKEE, Jan. 25.—Local bowlers have been wondering where the 1924 tournament of the American Bowling Congress will be held since they put their thoughts to rest. Last night several Chicago pinknights hoped into the Olympic establishment here and held a short but important gathering with A. L. Langtry secretary of the A. B. C.

In the Windy City delegation were William O'Connor, manager of the Chicago stockyards; A. C. Driver, Elmer Baumgarten and Frank McDanough, all connected in the stockyards district, where the national meet was held last time it went to Chicago and where it proposed to conduct the classic in 1924.

The visit of the Chicagoans is veneration of the report in the last issue of the Bowlers' Journal that the Windy City is going after the 1924 event.

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PRESENT TITLE HOLDERS HAVE LOST ALL COLOR

Jim Corbett Most Popular Champion of the Ring

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—James J. Corbett, of all the former heavyweight title holders perhaps had the most color, and he still retains it. His extreme popularity has kept him before the public years after he lost his title and has given him a most comfortable living on the stage.

Corbett, Jack Johnson and Jess Willard were at the ring-side for a heavyweight contest in Madison Square Garden recently and Corbett was easily the biggest one of the three.

Johnson, had he not chosen notoriety for popularity, might still be a big figure in the ring world. He had a lot of color in his day, but his mistakes ruined him.
Willard never was popular. He always was of a sort of sour disposition and always gave the impression that he was about to bark when he was approached.

Jeffries was a bear in disposition and he was never a popular public figure outside of ring circles. "John L." had a lot of color and so did Bob Fitzsimmons, but they have passed out of the picture.
Jack Dempsey might have been the most popular of all the heavyweight champions. He might have made a name for himself had he been inclined differently in 1917. As long as Dempsey lives, however, his war record will be held against him and it will go down on the books after he has gone.

Taken as a whole the present bunch of champions are a colorless lot.
Dempsey and Benny Leonard seem more anxious to become champions of the stage than hero kings of the ring.

Johnny Wilson and Johnny Kilbane are faded out from a long period of hiding away from the spotlight.
Mickie Walker at present is merely tolerated and not considered as much of a champion, though the general belief that he is to be "reborn" the first time he meets a good welterweight.

Joe Lynch had the makings of becoming a popular champion, until he started doing things that his friends, but he wouldn't do.
Little Pancho Villa, the flyweight holder, is the only colorful one of the bunch and he is no eye knocker. He does give a show every time he gets in the ring and he is in there plenty.

Boost the Budget
Joe Shimkus Departs For North Carolina To Meet Grapplers

Joe Shimkus, popular middleweight grappler who has been making Port Arthur his headquarters since his match here with "Pinky" Gardner of Schenectady, N. Y., departed yesterday for other climes.
Shimkus is en route to Arkansas and North Carolina, where he will face some excellent opponents of the mats.

"I will return to Port Arthur anytime they give me a match," Shimkus declared here Wednesday afternoon prior to his departure, and it is likely that in the future, when there is a place for more of such sport as Shimkus, Poole and Gardner exhibited this season, the matchmaker will forthwith call on Joe to come back.

Shimkus made a host of admirers here when he held "Pinky" to a draw after two hours and 15 minutes of hard wrestling, and they will welcome his reappearance here.

Boost the Budget
Speaking of a Tommy Gibbons Jack Dempsey bout, why wouldn't it be a good idea for Tommy to go forth and wipe out the black mark sustained by the hands of Harry Greb, why not win the title in his own class before seeking honors in the big division of the game. Remember the coming that looked at the moon? Well, the good catchers got him—didn't they?

Boost the Budget
The big leagues have ordered their "every hunters" to search the jungles for good possum hunters. Not in ten years has there been such a scarcity of left hand pitchers in the big show, and one of more are very essential to the success of a team. That is why a good, high class left hander can bring command his own price for the coming season.

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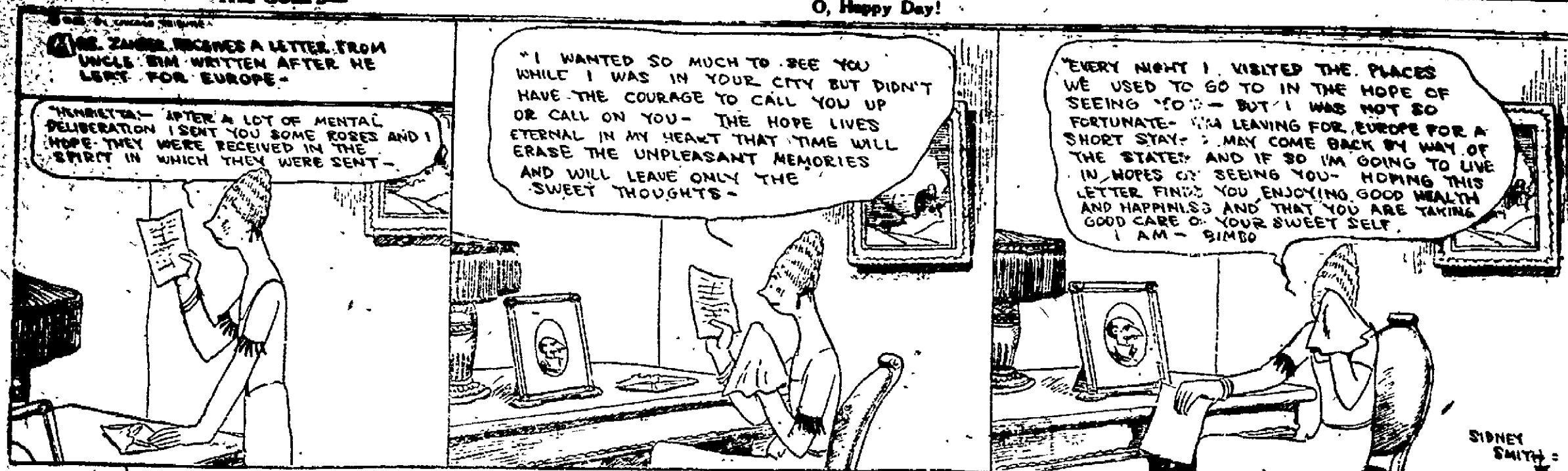
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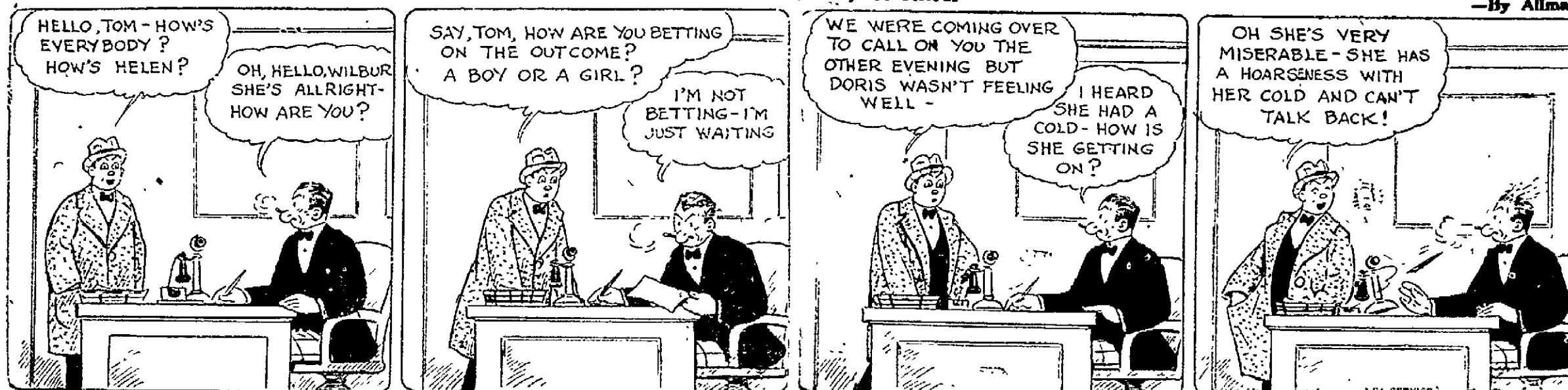
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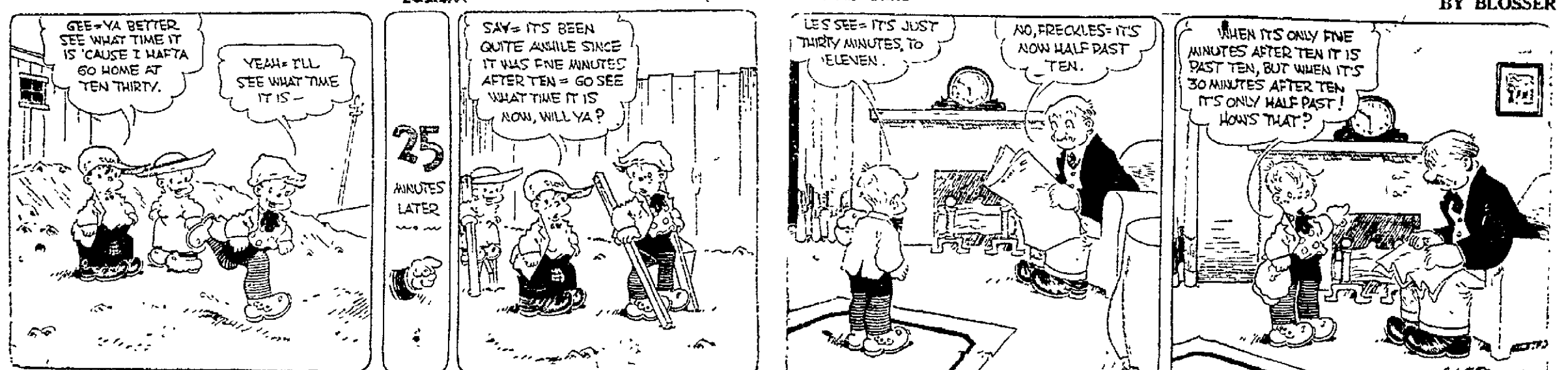
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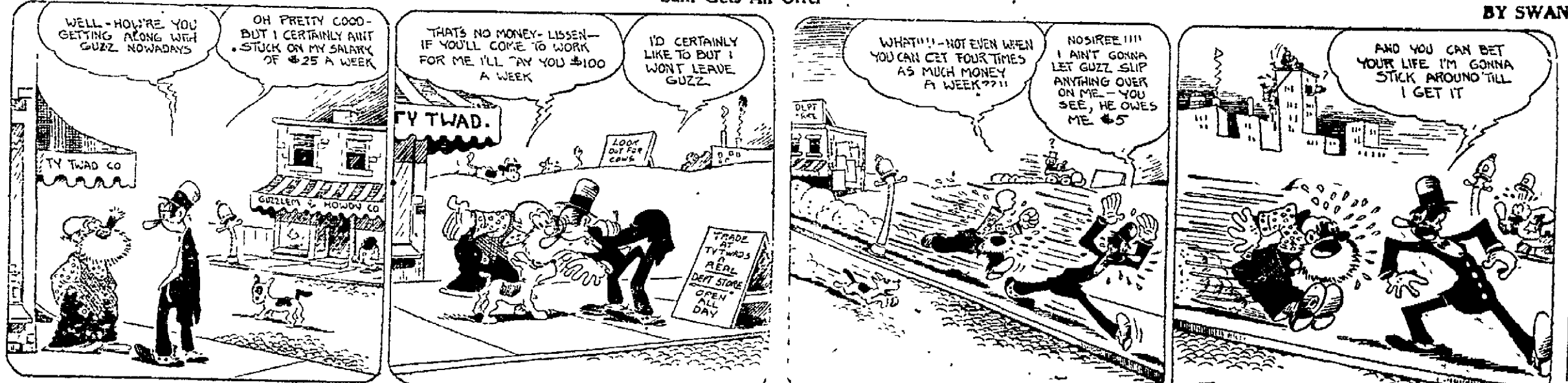
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THE FORTUNE TELLER

TRIUMPHS OF M. JONQUILLE... THE FORTUNE TELLER... *Begin Here Today*

Seated in the quiet of his Paris study, M. JONQUILLE, greatest of French fortune tellers, reads from his father's diary the tale of a crime that took place years ago in far-off Virginia. The diary tells how the son of PEYTON MARSHALL, side his father's will because he believed his father at his death had been strangely influenced by the Englishman.

M. JONQUILLE, and that under the influence had left Gosford all his \$50,000 estate instead of keeping his promise and leaving his son \$20,000.

The writer of the diary recounts how his father, the lawyer, MR. LEWIS, was surprised when Gosford, the son, admitted he took the will and surrenders it to the executor, who are gathered in the plantation library with Gosford and the old doctor.

GAELK.

Go on With the Story CHAPTER III

It was my father who broke the silence.

"Gosford," he said, "what scheme were you and Marshall about?"

"You may wonder, sir," replied the Englishman, continuing to write his notes: "I shall not tell you."

"But I will tell you," said the boy.

My father thought that the states in this republic could not hold together very much longer. He believed that the country would divide, and the South set up a separate government. He loved this might come about without a war. He was in horror of a war. He had traveled; he had seen nations and read their history, and he knew what they were talking when they said war.

He paused and looked at Gosford.

"My father was convinced that the South would finally set up an independent government, but he hoped a war might not follow. He believed that if this new government were immediately recognized by Great Britain, the North would accept the inevitable and there would be no bloodshed. My father went to England with this scheme. He met Mr. Gosford somewhere—on the ship, I think. And Mr. Gosford succeeded in convincing my father that if he had a sum of money he could win over certain powerful persons in the English government, and so pave the way to immediate recognition of the Southern Republic by Great Britain. He followed my father home and hung about him, and so finally got his will. My father was careful; he wrote nothing. Mr. Gosford wrote nothing; there is no evidence of this plan, but my father told me, and it is true."

My father stopped by the table and lifted his great shoulders.

"And so," he said, "Peyton Marshall imagined a plan like that, and left its execution to Mr. Gosford?"

The Englishman put down his pen and addressed my father.

"I would advise you, sir, to require a little proof for your conclusions. This is a very murky story, but it is prepared in an admission of no evidence, and it comes as a special gift, for a criminal act. Now, sir, if I check, if the best required it, I could give a further explanation, with more substance; of money borrowed by the deceased in his travels and to be returned to me. But the will stands for itself, as Mr. Lewis will assure you."

My father seemed brought up in a cul-de-sac. His face was tense and disturbed. He stood by the table; and now, as by accident, he put out his hand and took up the Japanese crystal supported by the necks of the three bronze storks. He appeared uncertain of the act, for he was in deep reflection. Then, as though the weight in his hand drew his attention, he glanced at the thing. Something about it struck him, for his manner changed. He spread the will out on the table and began to move the crystal over it, his face close to the glass. Presently his hand stopped, and he stood stooped over, staring at the crystal, like those practitioners of black art who predict events from what they pretend to see in these spheres of glass.

Mr. Gosford, sitting at his ease, in victory, regarded my father with a supercilious, ironical smile.

"Sir," he said, "are you, by chance, a fortune teller?"

"A fortune teller?" replied my father, his face still held above the crystal. "I can see here a misfortune to Mr. Anthony Gosford. I predict, from what I see, that he will release this bequest of money to Peyton Marshall's son."

"Sir," said the Englishman, now provoked into a temper, "do you enjoy this foolery?"

"You are not interested in crystal-gazing, Mr. Gosford," replied my father in a tranquil voice. "Well, I find it most diverting. Permit me to piece out your fortune, or rather your misfortune, Mr. Gosford! By chance you fell in with this dreamer Marshall, formed in his confidence, pretended a relation to great men in England, followed him, you got his will. You saw it written two years ago. When Marshall fell ill, you hurried here, learned from the dying man that the will remained and where it was. You made sure by pretending to write letters in this room, bringing your portfolio with ink and pen and a pad of paper. Then, at Marshall's death, you inquired of Lewis for legal measures to discover the dead man's will. And when you find the room ransacked, you run after the law."

My father paused.

"That is your past, Mr. Gosford. Now let me tell your future. I see you are in joy at the recovered will. I see you pleased at your foresight in getting a direct bequest, and at the care you used on Marshall to leave no evidence of his plan, lest the au-

The Englishman sprang up with an oath and leaned across the table. Then he saw the thing.

"Mr. Gosford," he said, "the figure above the figures of the bequest, written in the body of the will. The great diameter, and under the enlargement a thing that would escape the eye stood out. The top cut of the figure 3 had been erased, and the bar of the 5 added. One could see the broken fibers of the paper on the outline of the erasure, and the bar of the five lay across the top of the three and the top of the 5, and it looked like a black ink tacked across two upstrokes.

The figure 3 had been changed to 5 so cunningly as to deceive the eye, but not to deceive the vast magnification of the crystal. This thing stood out big and crude like a cat painter's patch.

Gosford's face became expressive, less like wood, his body rigid; then he stood up and faced the three moose across the table.

"Quite so," he said in his vacuous English voice. "Marshall wrote a by inadvertence and changed it. He borrowed my penknife to erase the figure."

My father and Lewis gaped like men who see a penne in heart all through an unimagined passage. There was silence. Then suddenly the old doctor broke laughing. Gosford lifted his long face, wide-eyed, crooked beard bracing out the mouth.

"Why do you laugh, my man?" he said.

"I laugh," replied Gaelk, "because a figure 5 can have so many colors. And now my father and Lewis were no less astonished than Mr. Gosford. 'Colors?' they said for the change figure in the will was black.

"Why, yes," replied the old man, "it is very pretty."

He reached across the table and drew over Mr. Gosford's memorandum the will.

"You are progressive, sir," he went on; "you write in iron-utah ink just made, commercially, in this year of 'fifty-six by Mr. Stephens. By we write here as Marshall wrote it 'fifty-four, with the logwood."

He turned and fumbled in his little case of bottles.

He carried a bit of acid for my people's indignation. It has other uses. He whipped out the stopper of his vial and dabbed Gosford's notes and Marshall's signature.

"See," he cried, "your writing is blue, Mr. Gosford, and Marshall's red!"

With an oath the trapped man struck at Gaelk's hand. The vial fell and cracked on the table. The hydrochloric acid spread out over Marshall's will. And under the bequest of fifty thousand dollars changed blue and the remainder of it a deep purple red like the body of the will.

"Gosford," cried my father, "you have trapped a rogue!"

"And I have lost a piece of good acid," replied the old man. And he began to gather up the bits of his broken bottle from the table.

Another triumph of M. Jonquille, "The Triangular Hypothesis," will be in our next issue.

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Faces Beasts Fearless, Girl Faints Before Men

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—Men are harder to face than lions, at least, Miss Martha Miller, 22, a member of the staff of the New York Museum of Natural History.

Miss Miller lay at night in an African jungle and killed a huge lion. She brought down the largest of a herd of five elephants. She has been bitten four times by the dreaded blood-sucking tsetse fly. But when she tried to talk of these things before the Men's Club in the Park Presbyterian church, Newark, Friday night, Miss Miller had her first experience in fainting. She was illustrating her lecture with stereopticon slides, when suddenly she toppled forward and fell from the platform.

Miss Miller was a member of the Carl Akeley expedition which went to Africa in July, 1921. She said she intends to go back next summer and remain two years.

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FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 23.—Colonel Edmund H. Taylor, 93, known throughout the world because he gave his name to a brand of whisky, is dead at his country home near here. Taylor built the Old Crow and Heritage distilleries at Frankfort and at one time operated the Oscar Pepper distillery.